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Docket No: 2427/1G685-US1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Patrick F. Kelly; Elio F. Vanin

Serial No.: 09/801,302

Art Unit: 1636

Filed: March 7, 2001

Examiner: Celine X. Qian

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For: HIGHLY EFFICIENT GENE TRANSFER INTO HUMAN REPOPULATION STEM CELLS BY RD114 PSEUDOTYPED RETROVIRAL VECTOR PARTICLES

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Hon. Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on August 14, 2002, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Submitted simultaneously herewith is (1) a Mark-Up

Serial No. 09/801,302  
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